GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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Stroke Patients
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Government has formulated Operational Guidelines for care and management of stroke patients under National Programme for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke (NPCDCS) and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether World Stroke Organisation in its global conference at Hyderabad recently updated these guidelines for implementation, monitoring and evaluation of stroke services and if so, whether Government would update those guidelines; and

(c) the details of Non-Communicable Disease (NCD) clinics which specialises in stroke care and management in the country, State/UT-wise during the last two years?

Answer

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)
(a) to (c): Government of India has formulated Operational Guidelines for implementing National Programme for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke (NPCDCS).

NPCDS has been implemented in all States/UTs for interventions up to District level under the National Health Mission. NPCDCS has focus on awareness generation for behaviour and life-style changes, screening and early diagnosis of persons with high level of risk factors and their treatment and referral (if required) to higher facilities for appropriate management for Non- communicable Diseases including Stroke. Under NPCDCS, diagnosis and treatment facilities for major NCDs including Stroke are provided through different levels of healthcare by setting up of Cardiac Care Units (CCUs) in District Hospitals and NCD Clinics in District Hospitals and Community Health Centres (CHCs).

A Statement showing State/UT-wise list of NCD clinics and Cardiac Care Units (CCUs) established under NPCDCS is at Annexure.